

Dear Tim:

The following have expressed interest:

Barney Rossett, Grove Press, 64 University Place NYC
Leroi Jones, Yugen Magazine, 324 E 14 Street, NYC
Muriel Rukeyser --790 Riverside Drive (Poetess & also author
of biog of scientist Willard Gibbs)
Robert Lowell--194 Riverside Drive, NYC

Lowell is hesitant, and I will see him tomorrow, the rest have already agreed, so send them each a note. They all want to stay in NY. I haven't made any definite arrangements. (All are in phonebook or can be reached thru information). The first three can do it at my house, the Rossett & Rukeyser have not visited before. Lowell as you know maybe has been in hospitals often, mental, drinking, manicdepressive, and seems interested tho tentative, worried, he has a negative type wife --"Oh that's all we need," I hear she puts him in bughouse when he is manic and takes him out when depressive. But he's a sensitive man on his own actually.

There are lots of other people, unknown, hepcats, or minor poets, who would jump--I've worked on these first.

One problem is my natural instinct would give Cylo first to friends, rather than powers, so it is rather like Work to line up people, and a disturbance. I seem not to be made for organization, no matter how wierd its purpose, and the errands & phonecalls & explanations of agency, being Secret agent X-9, depresses me--partly the distraction from sitting home reading milton & writing.

In addition this week I've been entertaining a gang of Russian writers--Konstantin Simonov & Co-- so I have been extra distracted. *They physical take some Cyloystin while he's*

I'll be here the 14th, so come down & stay over, and/or send me postcard say where to meet you, whatever you want.

I had a good time in Boston & inspiring week, I still have to write long Messiah poem, messiah mixed with electronics. Today I went to dentist & had another session with laughing gas to see how it felt again & it was mysterious & great--you must try it. It feels like the universe is a mental baloon that disintegrated when you glimpse the Inevitable Pin of Nada, when the mind goes out, and that it s happened before. Life seems like an inevitable movie played backwards.

Segal was here, explaining his Roles theory, I wish he would turn on. You get Reisman?

okokokokokokokok many thanks again for friendly week & I'll send you some loot when I get some, sooner or later soon-----hello to Frank Charlie & Rhona & babes.

Love,
Allen

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Go to Ian Summerville
Corpus Christie College
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Send Cyloystin soonest*

*Allen
Connect both
with Roger Heim,
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